

# Partners for a Healthy Baby Workshop for Home Visitors

# FAQs about the Partners training in Orlando, Florida

#### What training options are available on the Partners for a Healthy Baby curriculum?

The FSU Center currently offers two training options for programs using the Partners curriculum: a 3-day training in Orlando, FL; and a 3-day "onsite" training at your programs location of choice. Both workshops follow the same training format and agenda. Training in Orlando is arranged and hosted by the FSU Center and registration is open to everyone, while onsite trainings are arranged in collaboration with the hosting program and is only open to their staff.

#### What are the costs associated with training?

The 3-day training in Orlando, FL is \$500 per person for registration. The registration fee does not include travel, hotel costs, or the Partners curriculum.

#### What is the location for the workshop in Orlando, FL?

Each training in Orlando will take place at the Holiday Inn Orlando-Disney Springs: 1805 Hotel Plaza Blvd, Lake Buena Vista, FL, 32830.

#### Do you recommend a hotel for participants of the Partners Workshop in Orlando, FL?

The training will take place at the Holiday Inn Orlando-Disney Springs. Most participants choose to stay at this hotel for the duration of the workshop. Training participants may reserve a room from the discounted room block by using a special code found on the training flyer, or by contacting the training coordinator. The code is different for each workshop. There are many hotels in the area and you are welcome to stay elsewhere.

#### How can we make a reservation at the hotel?

Please contact the hotel directly to make a reservation. You may use the following number to make a reservation over the phone: 877-394-5765. Most participants arrive the night before the workshop, and leave on the last day of training. Some choose to stay over on the last day of training and head home the following day. Training begins at 9 AM and ends at 4 PM each day.

# Do I need to bring my copies of the Partners curriculum to training?

No, we will provide workshop copies of the curriculum for participant use during the training. You do not need to travel with your own set of the books for the training. Please note that after payment has been submitted for registration, participants have access to a discounted order form for the Partners curriculum. You may contact the Training Coordinator to access this discounted order form.

### Are participants awarded a certificate of attendance or CEUs once they have completed the training?

We do provide a certificate of attendance for participants who have attended the 3-day workshop. The FSU Center does not provide CEUs for training. Upon request, we can provide information (detailed agenda, CEU chart, etc.) for you to apply to your state licensure board for CEUs.



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### Are meals provided during the Partners Workshop in Orlando, FL?

Breakfast is provided each morning of the workshop in the training room for no additional charge. Breakfast items may include roasted breakfast potatoes, bacon, eggs, cereal, pastries, fresh fruit, coffee, tea, water. We also provide a small snack each afternoon. Lunch is not provided. Each room at the Holiday Inn Orlando-Disney Springs comes equipped with a mini-fridge and microwave. Attendees are welcome to purchase food at a grocery market nearby and store food in their rooms. The hotel has a restaurant from which food may be ordered. There are various restaurants within walking distance of the training location.

### What is the suggested attire for the duration of the training?

We encourage participants to dress comfortably and casually for training. There will be activities which involve getting up and moving around the training room. The training space also tends to be chilly, so it's a good idea to bring along a sweater/light jacket to keep you warm.

#### I am traveling from out of state. Where should I fly into?

Many participants find that the Orlando International Airport is the most convenient airport for their travel to Orlando. The Orlando International Airport code is MCO. The airport is approximately 20-25 minutes away from the training site (Holiday Inn Orlando-Disney Springs), depending on traffic.

## Does the training site provide a shuttle? What transportation options are available?

- The training will take place at the Holiday Inn Orlando-Disney Springs. This hotel does not offer a complimentary shuttle for travel to and from the MCO airport. Orlando International Airport does offer shuttle service to the Holiday Inn Orlando-Disney Springs for a fee. Mears Transportation Group provides shuttle service for the Orlando International Airport. Please call Mears Transportation Group directly for all shuttle fees and transportation options they provide: 855-463-2776.
- Taxis are available at Orlando International Airport at the A and B terminals.
- There are at least 11 rental car companies servicing the MCO airport. Please inquire with each rental company directly for any specific questions about availability and rates.

### Are there activities available after training? What is in the area?

- The Partners training is conveniently located within walking distance to the newly revamped Disney Springs (formerly Downtown Disney)! At Disney Springs you will find an array of restaurants and eateries, boutiques, shops, live music, and activities for all ages. All are welcome at Disney Springs and there is no fee for admission. You are also welcome to take advantage of discounted admission to the Walt Disney World's theme parks available to all Partners for a Healthy Baby Workshop attendees! The Holiday Inn Orlando-Disney Springs offers free shuttle transportation to each of the Disney theme parks. Please contact the Training Coordinator after registration for additional information about purchasing tickets.
- There are also multiple shopping centers within a short drive of the training site: The Mall at Millenia, Orlando Vineland Premium Outlets, and The Florida Mall, to name a few!